## FISCAL NOTE

# SB 1476 - HB 1532

April 3, 2007

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Requires the Board for Licensing Health Care Facilities to annually update information about every nursing home, residential home for the aged, and assisted-care living facility including information about fire suppression sprinkler systems and smoke detectors on the state website. Requires the Commission on Aging and Disability to advise the Governor and the heads of state departments of the needs of older individuals and make recommendations to the Governor and General Assembly regarding legislative action.

### **ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

#### Increase State Expenditures - Not Significant

## Assumptions:

- The Department of Health will not incur a significant increase in state expenditures to revise the current sprinkler status report posted on the state's website. Any increase can be absorbed within existing resources.
- The Commission on Aging and Disability currently advises the Governor and departments about the needs of older citizens and legislative actions regarding the older and disabled population of the state.

#### **CERTIFICATION:**

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director